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## SUDDEN SUMMONS OF DEATH COMES TO COL. LAFE GREEN.

Expires At His Home At Falls of Rough Monday  
At Noon Without Warning.

WAS PROMINENT IN POLITICAL AND BUSINESS CIRCLES  
AND HIS DEATH A GREAT LOSS TO MANY SECTIONS.

Col. Lafe Green, one of the most widely known and influential men in this part of the State, died suddenly at his home at Falls of Rough Monday at noon of heart disease.

Col. Green had been in failing health for two years, though his death came as a great shock to his wide circle of acquaintances and from all sides a deep feeling of regret is expressed at the loss his death has caused, not only in the community in which he lived, but to all sections.

In public life Col. Green's influence was felt and at one time he was a potent factor in the political affairs of the State. Years ago he served a term in the State Senate from this district, then composed of the counties of Breckinridge, Grayson and Meade. He represented Grayson county in the Legislature one term. After his retirement from active public life he did not let his interest in affairs wane.

In business life Col. Green's capacity was resourceful and his success was phenomenal. But few men are endowed with the gift he possessed of making capital out of everything he turned his hand to.

The town of Falls of Rough was virtually owned by Col. Green and in his death it has lost a benefactor. He conducted a large general merchandise store, and was the owner of a flourishing flouring mill and two saw mills. He was interested in other enterprises of the town.

Col. Green's land interests were extensive, and he was one of the largest land owners in the State. He owned several farms, aggregating about 6,000 acres, the greater portion of which is in a high state of cultivation. The timber lands alone have netted him a fortune. He was a lover of fine stock, as one could see on a visit to his farms. Col. Green's home has been the scene of many brilliant social affairs. He entertained lavishly and had been host to many prominent people. A lover of company, guests at his home were frequent. The poor and the rich fared sumptuously with him and he was loved and respected by all classes.

Col. Green was seventy odd years of age and was a widower. He is survived by three sons and a daughter—Willis, Preston, Robert and Miss Jennie Green.

The remains were conveyed to Frankfort yesterday and interred in the cemetery there beside those of his wife.

## DEATH OF J. TIPTON CONNOR

Infirmities of Old Age Remove  
Most Valuable Citizen.

Mr. J. Tipton Connor, formerly a resident of this vicinity and one of the best known and most respected citizens, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Joshua Groves, of Rome, Ind., on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Connor was in his eighty-second year and death was due to infirmities incident to old age. He had been in failing health for some time.

Mr. Connor was born in Perry county and came to Cloverport from Rome, Ind., with his wife, many years ago. He purchased a farm about three miles from town and lived there until a few years ago, when his wife died. He then disposed of his home place and has since been living with his children.

There was no more popular man in Breckinridge county than Mr. Connor. He was a devout member of the Methodist church. The burial was at Rome on Thursday.

Those of his children who are living are Mrs. Dan Schanks, of Hardinsburg, Ind.; Mrs. Joshua Groves, of Rome, Ind.; Mrs. J. Edwin Murr, of Charlestown, Ind.; Robert Connor, of Corydon, Ind.; and Orville Connor, who is principal of the Normal School at Terra Haute, Ind.

Mr. Connor's grandfather, Gen. Samuel Connor, was a soldier in the war of 1812 and fought at the battle of Tippecanoe. He died in 1866 at the age of eighty-six. His grandfather, Lawrence Connor, fought in the Revolutionary War. The two older Connors settled at Rome in 1806. Lawrence Connor crossed the mountains into Kentucky before the beginning of the last century.

### IF YOU TOUCH your tongue to ALUM

and look in the glass—you will see the effect—  
You can't help puckering—it makes you pucker  
to think of tasting it.

By the use of so called cheap Baking  
Powders you take this puckering, injurious Alum  
right into your system—you injure digestion  
and ruin your stomach.

### AVOID ALUM

Say plainly—

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Royal is made from pure, refined Grape Cream of Tartar—Costs more  
than Alum but you have the profit of quality, the profit of good health.



## MYSTERY

SURROUNDS DEATH OF  
SHELBY T. TRIPLETT

Found Unconscious On Street In  
Louisville and Dies in City  
Hospital—May Be Murder.

Mystery still surrounds the death of Mr. Shelby T. Triplett, of Garfield, this county, who was found unconscious in a alley in Louisville two weeks ago and who died Saturday week at the City Hospital.

Murder is the theory advanced by the Louisville police and they are at work in the case.

The evening before Mr. Triplett was found unconscious he had gone to Louisville from his home at Garfield to dispose of a large quantity of tobacco. He had sold a portion of it but had not received the money. He spent the day at the warehouses and it is the suspicion that while on his way to a hotel that he was assaulted by some one who knew that he disposed of considerable tobacco.

At the hospital Mr. Triplett was operated on, but without effect. It was found that some of his intestines had been ruptured.

The body was brought to Garfield on Wednesday and buried there. Mr. Triplett was the junior member of the firm of Richardson & Triplett, tobacco buyers at Garfield, and was well known and popular throughout the county. Besides extensive dealings in tobacco he was a prosperous farmer.

Mr. Triplett leaves a wife, one daughter, Mrs. John F. Morton, of this city, and five sons.

Mr. Morton, son-in-law of Mr. Triplett, was summoned to Louisville by the police the latter part of last week to assist in ferreting out the case. Mr. Morton says that only about ten dollars were missing from the person of Mr. Triplett when he was found, which was not all the money he had in his pocket.

The deceased was sixty-five years of age and a Mason.

When the cold winds dry and crack the skin a box of salve can save much discomfort. In buying salve look for the name on the box to avoid any imitations and be sure you get the original Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by all druggists.

## GUSTON GIRL A BRIDE.

Reuben Beauguard, Of Missouri,  
Wins Heart and Hand of  
Miss Katie Smith.

Last Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock the marriage of Mr. Reuben Beauguard to Miss Katie Smith, took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Smith on Newton Avenue, Rev. D. T. Simmons, of the Methodist church officiating.

The wedding was the consummating of a romance which began about a year ago while Miss Smith was here from Guston, Ky., spending the winter with her brother, G. E. Smith.

Promptly at the appointed time the bride and groom entered the parlor which was tastefully arranged and decorated with Bride's roses, and with ribbons drawn from the chandelier and reaching to the four corners of the room.

The bride, carrying a bouquet of Bride's roses, and dressed in white tulle, sat, entranced, beneath the white tulle, and while the sweet cords of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by Mrs. G. E. Smith, died away as the wedding ceremony began.

Following the ceremony an elegant four course dinner was served in the handsome dining room adorned with pretty ribbons drawn from the chandelier and tied in booklets hanging gracefully over bouquets of Bride's roses on the table.

A number of beautiful and useful presents were bestowed.

The bride, is a comparative stranger in Eldon society, but a charming young lady of winning ways and modest discriminating character gaining warm friends during her few months' stay here.

Mr. Beauguard is one of Eldon's most enterprising business men. He came here from Panhandle, Texas, five years ago, on the special train which brought the contractors for the construction work on the Rock Island, and with Mr. Salisbury purchased the Eldon Bakery. By thrift and good business sense he has made the undertaking a success and still has at his command a strong grocery, culinary and novelty trade. His business methods and gentlemanly character has made him a popular friend with all—Eldon Advertiser, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Smith, of Guston, parents of the bride, attended the wedding.

Mr. June Elder, living near town, is low of consumption and little hopes are entertained that he will long survive.

## IRVINGTON ITEMS.

A Variety Of News Notes That  
Tell Of the Town's Doings.

Irrington, Ky.—Nicholas Netherton has purchased the Dave and Frederick Bishop places, which are located in the northern part of the town, and will erect a handsome residence on same.

Mrs. Andrew Hook (nee Bettie St. Clair,) died at her home in West Point last Sunday of erysipelas. Her remains were interred Tuesday in Cedar Hill cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Edwin Graves from the Presbyterian church.

The Cumberland Telephone Co. have changed their office to the Biggs Hotel. Miss Essie Biggs will take charge of the board.

Quite a party of young people enjoyed a moon-light ride to Dowell's pond Monday night, where skating was a real pleasure and happiness to all. The party was composed of Misses Ellen Mumford, Essie Biggs, Willa Drury, Lillie McGlothlin, Nellie Wathen, Mabel and Eva McGlothlin, Jessie Brady, Lucile Cunningham, Mrs. Dolly VanMeter, Messrs. Lewis Jolly, A. B. Suter, David and George Herndon, Clayton Claycomb, Roland Smith, Dr. Moorman, Carl Bennett, Joe Piggott and Banks Drury.

The Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of the Baptist church met in the comfortable parlors of Mrs. T. N. McGlothlin Tuesday afternoon. A goodly number was in attendance. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Robert McGlothlin, the meeting was ably led by Mrs. Bate Washington. A most interesting program was carried out.

Mr. and Mrs. Pomp McCoy's sale of household belongings came off last Saturday as per advertised. Every article brought fairly good price. They will leave shortly for Owensboro to make that place their future home.

Miss Mary Joe Mattingly and Mrs. Pate attended a teachers' examination at Hardinsburg Tuesday of last week.

Miss Lillie McGlothlin left Tuesday for a trip to Louisville.

Mrs. W. J. Piggott and son, Joe Walter, left for Indianapolis Tuesday.

Business is resuming its usual trend again. Trains are making schedule time. The high waters are receding, and every line of work is progressing.

## WHEAT OR NO WHEAT

That is the Question That is  
Agitating the Farmers Along  
the River Bottoms.

It is not known to what extent wheat in the river bottoms has been damaged by the overflow, as the waters have not receded sufficient to ascertain the disastrous effects. At present the consensus of opinion among farmers is that the extent of the injury will be enormous, if the destruction is not total.

The farmers claim that the mild winter preceding the flood had so far advanced the crop that the stalks were probably broken and the sediment has covered the plant and smothered it. This is only surmise, however, as nothing definite regarding the condition of the submerged crop can be learned for the present. On the other hand, it is stated that if the plants are not too far advanced in growth and the receding of the waters should be immediately followed by a warm rain, that the overflow will be a blessing.

Farmers say they have known instances when an overflow was a God-send to the growing wheat, but at other times the effect has been just the reverse.

**SNOW A BLESSING TO WHEAT.**

Young Plants Are "As Snug As a Bug in a Rug."

The snow beat the cold wave here just in time to cover the young wheat plants and protect them from a freeze. The growing crop is just at the stage where a zero spell would come near putting the tender plants out of business. Ordinarily snow does not add to the farmer's delight, but we venture to say that the present fall was a visit most pleasing to him.

**Died Sunday Night.**

Mattie Green, colored, died of consumption, Sunday night at the home of her father, Mack Green. For seven years she cooked for Mrs. J. E. Keith and was most faithful to her duties. The funeral was held Monday afternoon.

Food don't digest? Because the stomach lacks some of the essential ingredients or the digestive juices are not properly balanced. Then, too, it is this undigested food that causes sourness and painful indigestion. Kodol For Indigestion should be used for relief. Kodol is a solution of vegetable acids. It digests what you eat, and corrects the deficiencies of the digestion. Kodol conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold here by all druggists.

## LITTLE COAL

AND NO GAS.  
Flood Came Near Putting Cloverport In Cold Storage.

Cloverport was threatened with a fuel famine for a few days while the river was tearing up things, but the situation has been relieved by the falling of the waters, which has allowed the resumption of railway traffic.

No gas has been in evidence in the last few days. The pipes have frozen.

**Cloverport Men Entertained.**

Mr. Edward Dickey, of Elizabethtown, gave a luncheon at the Vienna on Wednesday. The following were his guests: Messrs. J. T. Mattingly, Harry P. Conniff, J. C. Sipple, F. C. Whitehouse, Wm. M. Conniff, R. W. Wathen, of Cloverport, John J. Conniff, and Harry C. Gans, of Owensboro.—Louisville Times.

If you are Constipated, dull or bilious, or have a sallow lifeless complexion, try Lax-ets just once to see what they will do for you. Lax-ets are little toothsome Candy tablets—nice to eat, nice in effect. No griping, no pain. Just a gentle laxative effect that is pleasantly desirable. Handy for the pocket or purse. Lax-ets come to you in beautiful lithographed metal boxes at 5 cents and 25 cents. Sold by Severs Drug Company.

**Died at Patesville**

Mrs. Frank Clark died at her home at Patesville on last Thursday, of consumption, aged about forty-five years. The body was buried at Patesville on Friday. Mrs. Clark was a widow and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deterding.

**Mr. Lynch Moves Here.**

Mr. Wm. Lynch moved his family here from Mattingly this week to make this place their home. They will live in the Oelze property on the hill. Mr. Lynch is connected with the Cincinnati Cooperage Company and is a business man of high standing.

**Norton-Lanman.**

Raymond, Ky., Jan. 29. (Special).—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Norton announce the engagement of their daughter, Sylvia, to Mr. Ezra Lanman. The wedding will take place Wednesday afternoon, February the sixth, at two o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. Miss Norton is a lovely young girl and Mr. Lanman is well known.

**CASTORIA.**

The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Beware of Imitations  
See the Signature  
J. C. Hendrix

## HOW HAWESVILLE

GOT HER BOOZE  
When Train and Boat Traffic  
Ceased Wagons Toted It  
Across Country.

Hawesville got her booze all right. Hawesville came near having a booze famine last week, caused by the flood, but Cloverport averted the catastrophe, by furnishing it in wagon loads.

Good old Cloverport, with all her faults Hawesville loves her still.

The rivers may rise so the boats can't run, the rains may wash out the railway tracks, Uncle Sam may not be able to have his mails transferred, and passenger and freight traffic may be at a standstill, but Hawesville must have her booze—and she got it. What though the boats ceased to ply and the trains did not run, wasn't Hawesville thirsty for a dram, and there were horses that could pull and wagons to tote, and roads to haul it over. Well, that is the way Hawesville got her booze.

Cloverport had the booze and Hawesville had the thirst, and when the local supply of the stuff that paints men's noses gave out and the floods stopped railroad and boat traffic some enterprising and accommodating (?) saloonkeeper had an idea; it could be toted in wagons across the country from Cloverport. And Hawesville got her booze.

But let it be said to Hawesville's credit, that she does not endorse the liquor traffic, as was shown in the local option election last fall when Hawesville and Hancock county went dry. It was just some fellows who wanted to put in full time during the last days of the saloon. Anyhow, Hawesville got her booze.

**ONCE INLAND TOWN**

**NOW ON OHIO RIVER.**

Owensboro, Ky., Jan. 27.—Stanley, an inland town of Davies county a few days ago, to-night lies on a river which runs before the village stores. The bank of the Ohio river has broken and water is flowing in a torrent through Stanley to Green river, a distance of fifteen miles. The finest farms in Davies county are being washed away. Stanley is two miles from the Ohio river and 12 miles from Green river.

Clear up the complexion, cleanse the liver and tone the system. You can best do this by a dose or two of Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers. Safe, reliable little pills with a reputation. The pills that everyone knows. Recommended by all druggists.



# Partners of the Tide

By JOSEPH LINCOLN  
Author of "Cap'n Er"

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CHAPTER V.

FOR a moment Miss Tempy made no reply to her sister's speech. Instead she sat there with her eyes fixed upon Miss Prissy's face and her thin fingers picking nervously at her dress.

"Haven't got any money?" she repeated after a pause. "Haven't got any money left? Why, then—then, we'll have to take it out of the bank up to Boston. Of course, Bradley must go to college. You know he must, Prissy."

But Miss Prissy shook her head.

"You don't understand, Tempy," she said. "I ought to have talked with you about it long ago. You see now that I ought to; but, oh, dear, father always said you was too delicate to have money matters, and I've been used to it. All the care are my self, and so I've just gone on and on, worryin' and plannin' and layin' awake nights until I can't go to sleep."

Then, she cried, and the tears rolled down her cheeks, "you don't understand. The money in the Boston bank has been there for years. Haven't got more than \$500 left in the world, and when that's gone!" She waved her hands despairingly.

But still Miss Tempy did not comprehend.

"Why, all of it can't be gone?" she said. "All of the insurance money and everything! Was all that money?" She mentioned the sum reverently and in an awestruck whisper.

"Yes," said Miss Prissy, trying hard not to be impatient. "Yes, 'twas \$5,000, and father died over ten years ago, and we've been livin' on it ever since."

"But \$5,000, Prissy! Five thousand!"

"Oh, my soul and body! Anybody'd think 'twas a million. Jest think, now; jest think. We've lived on it for pretty nigh eleven years, paid for our clothes and livin' and havin' the house painted six years ago, and—"

"But it costed plenty!"

"Needed it! I should think it did! But it costed more'n we'd ought to spend, jest the same. Oh, it's more my fault than anybody's. Long's father lived the place was kept up, and you and me was used to havin' things as good as our neighbors, and I went on and on, never thinkin' we was too extravagant until all at once the money that we first put in the Harniss bank was used up. And then it come home to me, as you might say, and I realized what we'd been doin'. Oh, I've tried and tried; scrimped here and pinched there. What do you s'pose I sold the wood lot for?"

And then she sobbed and sobbed.

"Why, you said we didn't need 'em, and it was too much trouble to run 'em."

"Said! Oh, I don't doubt I said all sorts of things to keep you from knowin'. But I sold 'em to help pay the bills. And then you was took down with the typhoid fever, and there was that big doctor's bill, and then Bradley came, and he had to have clothes and a little money to spend, like the other boys. And now!"

Miss Prissy choked, tried to go on, and then broke down and cried heartily and without restraint.

In all the years since the death of Captain Allen Miss Tempy had never seen her common sense, practical sister give way like this. The money that she had so much more than the story of the financial situation had so far denied. She didn't fully understand the latter yet, but every one of her sister's sobs was to her a call for help that needed an immediate answer.

"There, there, there, dear," she said, running to the other side and putting her arm around her sister's waist. "You poor thing! You mustn't cry like that. You've just worried yourself sick, sensitive boy, jest like all the boys. I'm surprised if you've got a little cold, too. In that drafty schoolhouse. Let me make you a good, big cup of pepper tea right away; now do."

Miss Prissy turned a sob into a feeble laugh.

"Oh, dear me, Tempy," she said, laying her hand on the other's arm. "I believe you think pepper tea'll cure anything, even an empty pocketbook. I wish 'twould pay bills; then, I don't know but I'd drink 'em every day. But it won't, nor cryin' won't, either. Set down, and I'll tell you jest how things are."

So Miss Tempy, reluctantly giving up the "pepper tea" idea for the present, went back to her chair, and Miss Prissy continued.

"The money in the Boston bank is gone," she said, "and a year or more ago I wrote to the broker folks that bought the bond for us when father died, and they sold it for me, and got a little less than a thousand dollars for it. I put the money into the bank at Harniss, and though I've tried my best to be economical, there ain't but five hundred and eighty left. That and the place here is all we've got."

In a bewildered fashion Miss Tempy strove to grasp the situation.

"Then we're poor," she said, "real poor, and I thought we was rich. Well, I should give up that notion. I was goin' to have next spring, and I s'pose I hadn't ought to subscribe to the Comforter either. I did think so much of it."

"I'm afraid we'll have to give up more than the Comforter, Tempy. I've

thought and thought 'bout my poor self as nearly worn through. We might sell the place here, but 'twould be like sellin' our everlastin' souls—'t ain't unreligious to say it—and, besides, property at Orham is so low now that we'd only get half what it's worth, and when that money's spent there wouldn't be anything left."

"Sell the place? Father's place? Why, Prissy, when, how can you talk so? Where would we live?"

"Well, we might hire a little house down at South Orham somewhere."

"South Orham! Where all those Portuguese and things live? I'd rather die!" And it was Miss Tempy's turn to sob.

"You needn't cry for that, Tempy. We won't sell yet awhile. Not till there's nothin' left. But we can't have the barn shingled, and as for Bradley's goin' to college, that, I'm afraid, is out of the question."

"Oh, dear, dear! And the barn looks awful. Melony Butted was sayin' only last week that folks was wonderin' when we was goin' to have it fixed. And poor Bradley! My heart was set on his goin' to college. I don't know but I'd live in the poorhouse to make him do. They say Mr. Otis keeps a real nice poorhouse, too."

Miss Prissy smiled dolefully. "It hasn't got to the poorhouse yet," she said, "and I hope we can send Bradley to school somewhere else."

But we'll have to scrimp awful, and we must try to earn some money. I was talkin' to Abigail Mullett at the church folks' get-together, and she spoke about those aprons and one thing another that I made and said she never saw such hemstitch and tucks. She said she'd like to have 'em."

So Miss Tempy brightened up. In a few minutes she had in her mind sold so many shawls and Miss Prissy had done so well with her hemstitching and tucks that she saw them putting money in the bank instead of taking it out. In fact, she was getting rich so fast in her dreams that her sister didn't have the heart to throw water on them.

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he boy, too, was embarrassed, but as the two looked at him expectantly he fidgeted with a button on his jacket and said:

"Miss Prissy, I didn't mean to listen, but the door wasn't shut tight, and I couldn't help hearing what you and Tempy were saying a little while ago."

"There!" exclaimed Miss Tempy. "I was afraid of that door. You remember I said so, Prissy."

But Miss Prissy didn't answer. She merely looked at Bradley.

"I heard what you said," he nervously went on the boy, "and when you told about what you was going to do so I could go to high school, I—I thought I went outside to think it over by myself. But then I thought you wouldn't believe I meant it or wouldn't pay any attention to it if I did, so I went outside to think it over by myself. And then—then I went right up to see the cap'n."

"I hope," said Miss Prissy sternly, "that you didn't repeat our talk to Cap'n Titcomb without tellin' us you was goin' to."

"No, no, he didn't," he hastily broke in. "He didn't tell a word. You've got a pretty fair kind of boy here, if you want to know," he added, with more than his usual enthusiasm.

"Hush," was Miss Prissy's only comment. "Go on, Bradley."

"All I told him was," said Bradley, "that I didn't think it was right for me to go to school and college when I ought to be earning some money. I'm going on seventeen now, and lots of fellows I know are going to work."

"I've never heard of a boy your age, sailor, but I know a lot about boys, and I don't get seasick even when it's mighty rough. Do I, Cap'n Er?"

"No," replied Cap'n Titcomb gravely. "You manage to keep your cargo from shirrin' pretty well for a green hand."

"And he said he'd take me as a kind of cabin boy. Didn't you, cap'n? And learn me things and get me advanced as soon as I was fit for it. And he'll say we was, and then he'll say there. And I won't cost you a cent more. Please let me go."

The captain did not again visit the Alton home, although next day Bradley called on him at his room in the hotel.

They talked of the proposed plan, of course, but Captain Titcomb did not give any acceptance. The contrary, he spoke very plainly of the disagreeable features of a sailor's calling and hinted that being aboard a vessel was like being in jail, "only a little less comfortable."

"There's always a chance for a feller to break out of jail."

At the end of the interview he said: "Brad, I ain't askin' you no questions 'bout what made you take this sudden fit, but I'd like to know this: Do the old folks know 'bout that Sampson fund for sailors' children?"

"I don't know," replied Bradley, "but I've got a hundred a year out of that if they applied for it, you understand?"

"I don't believe they'd take a cent if they was anything like charity," replied the boy. "Miss Prissy especial. She's awful down on folks that she says are living on charity."

"Oh, hush! I see. Well, I know a feller that's one of the head cooks and bottle washers of the Sampson crew. Maybe I could rig it up." Well, never mind. I don't say nothin' yet."

Three days later it was settled. Bradley was to go to Boston the following Monday with Captain Titcomb, and ship with him as the combination "boy and roaster" for a period of three months. Really, it was settled when the captain suggested it, but it took some time for the old folks to formally make up their minds to the decided change.

Monday morning Bradley's trunk was packed, and Barney Small called to take him and it to Harniss. The old

boy, too, was embarrassed, but as the two looked at him expectantly he fidgeted with a button on his jacket and said:

"Miss Prissy, I didn't mean to listen, but the door wasn't shut tight, and I couldn't help hearing what you and Tempy were saying a little while ago."

"There!" exclaimed Miss Tempy. "I was afraid of that door. You remember I said so, Prissy."

But Miss Prissy didn't answer. She merely looked at Bradley.

"I heard what you said," he nervously went on the boy, "and when you told about what you was going to do so I could go to high school, I—I thought I went outside to think it over by myself. But then I thought you wouldn't believe I meant it or wouldn't pay any attention to it if I did, so I went outside to think it over by myself. And then—then I went right up to see the cap'n."

"I hope," said Miss Prissy sternly, "that you didn't repeat our talk to Cap'n Titcomb without tellin' us you was goin' to."

"No, no, he didn't," he hastily broke in. "He didn't tell a word. You've got a pretty fair kind of boy here, if you want to know," he added, with more than his usual enthusiasm.

"Hush," was Miss Prissy's only comment. "Go on, Bradley."

"All I told him was," said Bradley, "that I didn't think it was right for me to go to school and college when I ought to be earning some money. I'm going on seventeen now, and lots of fellows I know are going to work."

"I've never heard of a boy your age, sailor, but I know a lot about boys, and I don't get seasick even when it's mighty rough. Do I, Cap'n Er?"

"No," replied Cap'n Titcomb gravely. "You manage to keep your cargo from shirrin' pretty well for a green hand."

## OF PUBLIC FUNCTIONS

Some Things Are Essentially of a Governmental Nature.

Collecting Customs, Maintaining the Army and the Police, Are Among These, but Not Such Undertakings as the Telegraph, the Telephone, the Street Cars or Gas and Electric Lighting—True Nature of a Public Franchise.

By ARTHUR WILLIAMS,  
President National Electric Light association.

Some things are so essentially of a governmental nature that it would be fatuous to consider them from the standpoint of private ownership. Among these are the collection of customs, the maintenance and direction of the army and navy and the police power. In others it is the end rather than the means that should be sought, and municipal and private ownership are often on equal terms without the violation of any common principle.

The maintenance of public highways and sewers is usually a public function, but the country abounds in examples, every bit as satisfactory, of private ownership and operation. The water importance to the community lies not in its ownership, whether public or private, but rather in its quality, quantity and price.

Monopoly—regulated monopoly—is not necessarily opposed to the public interest. It is advantageous to all to have one telephone system, that from one point all may be conveniently reached; to have one street car system with universal transfers, making unnecessary any relation between one's home and place of work; to have a single gas or electric light works, preventing the waste of small plants and organizations and securing the best of the nature of monopoly. It does not appear that either is a sufficient reason for the others because they partake of the nature of monopoly. It does not appear that either is a sufficient reason for the others because they partake of the nature of monopoly.

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## NATURE PROVIDES FOR SICK WOMEN

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In the good old-fashioned days of our grandmothers few drugs were used in medicines and Lydia E. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., in her study of roots and herbs and their power over disease discovered and gave to the women of the world a remedy for their peculiar ills more potent and efficacious than any combination of drugs.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is an honest, tried and true remedy of unquestionable therapeutic value. During its record of more than thirty years, its long list of actual cures of those serious ills peculiar to women, entitles Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to the respect and confidence of every fair minded person and every thinking woman.

When women are troubled with irregular or painful functions, weakness, displacements, ulceration, inflammation, headache, flatulency, general debility, indigestion or nervous prostration, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

No other remedy in the country has such a record of cures of female ills, and thousands of women residing in every part of the United States bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it has done for them.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has grided thousands to health. For twenty-five years she has been advising sick women free of charge. She is the daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham and as her assistant for years before her decease advised under her immediate direction. Address, Lynn, Mass.

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## THE MAIL ORDER HOUSES.

Unless Farmers Stop Patronizing Them Local Merchants Will be Destroyed. People Should Wake up to the Importance of Trading at Home.

"Farmers are always anxious to have a good market for their products, and in spite of the fact that they want to buy from the mail order houses, they want the home town to always be ready to pay good prices for what they have to sell and always be prepared to furnish anything they want in a hurry. Of course, many merchants fail to have the goods particularly desired, and that is one of the main excuses for patronizing the mail order houses, but any merchant can order the goods who will take the trouble.

"To such people the following picture should cause thought of the right kind: Suppose we take a thriving and prosperous community, where there is good farming land, and in the center of it is a fine little city with prosperous stationary, clear, grocery, dry goods, furniture, hardware, implement, harness, drug, and general stores, besides hotels, restaurants, broom factory, cigar factory, creamery and numerous other factories and stores and also grain buyers, fruit and produce shippers, livestock buyers, etc. Everyone around this community is prosperous, for each is selling and selling or making and selling something to the others and the wants of all are easily supplied at home.

"A craze strikes this community to buy of some big catalogue houses located in some other part of the country. All those who are engaged in business in the little city buy from the mail order houses everything not carried in their own stores.

"How long would it take, before this little city would be entirely abandoned, with no business, its stores closed for lack of patronage, the factories because they do not have retail stores to sell their products, the grain buyers because they did not have any other business to help support them during this time when there was little grain to handle, the produce buyer because he had handled produce for nothing, in connection with his business, and could not continue shipments on the same terms, the miller because the big mail order houses could not buy his flour, etc.

"This is exactly what would happen in every community if the mail order houses could have their way entirely, get the parcels post, use it with the rural delivery, make the government, (which is the people), pay most of their delivery charges, if all of the people patronized them.

"Every line of business, excepting farming would be wiped out, with the exception of the mail order house and the factories it bought from. Most of the factories would go because there was no place to sell their goods in the mail order house refused to buy.

"Does the picture look like prosperity? Every consumer who refuses to buy at home and sends his money out of his community, is helping to bring about such a condition, but evidently does not realize it. Retailers must bring them to realize what they are doing because some are loyal and supporting the merchant does not make the offense of the others less, for they are carrying out their part of the above picture of

## DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspaper is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney and bladder remedy. It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century, covered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, acid uric troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless poor, to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all who are afflicted with kidney trouble who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer, this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and dollar bottles are sold by all good druggists. Beware of any mistake! Remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y. is on every bottle.

## SCALD ERIKSON COVERED HIS BODY

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"When I was about nine years old some appeared on each of my lower limbs. I scratched them with a brass pin and shortly afterwards both of those limbs became so sore that I could scarcely walk. When I had been suffering for about a month the sores began to heal, but small scaly eruptions appeared where the sores had been. From that time onward I was troubled by such severe itching that, until I became accustomed to it, I would scratch the sores until the blood began to flow. This would stop the itching for a few days, but scaly places would appear again and the itching would accompany them. After I suffered about ten years I made a renewed effort to effect a cure. The eruptions by this time had appeared on every part of my body except my face and hands. The best doctor in my native county advised me to use arsenic in small doses and a salve. I then used to bathe the sores in a mixture which gave almost intolerable pain. In addition I used various remedies, such as iodine, sulphur, zinc salve, ——— Salve, Ointment, and in fact I was continually giving some remedy a fair trial, never using less than one or two boxes of ointment. All this was of no avail. Finally my hair began to fall out and I was rapidly becoming bald. ——— Salve, Ointment, and in fact I was continually giving some remedy a fair trial, never using less than one or two boxes of ointment. All this was of no avail. Finally my hair began to fall out and I was rapidly becoming bald. ——— Salve, Ointment, and in fact I was continually giving some remedy a fair trial, never using less than one or two boxes of ointment. All this was of no avail. Finally my hair began to fall out and I was rapidly becoming bald.

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Newsman Gardner Married

News has been received here of the marriage of Miss Ola May Smith to Mr. Newsman Gardner, on last Thursday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James, at Medford, Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner will make Irvington their home after an extended bride tour through the West—Meade County Messenger.

Croup can positively be stopped in 20 minutes. No vomiting—nothing to sicken or distress your child. A sweet, pleasant, and safe Syrup, called Dr. Shoop's Croup Cure, does the work and does it quickly. Dr. Shoop's Croup Cure is for Croup alone, remember. It does not claim to cure a dozen ailments, like the Croup Cure that all Sold by Severs Drug Company.

Brings Fine Produce Here.

The first time in twenty years, that Mr. Walter D. Wilson, of Jolly Station, has brought butter and eggs to Cloverport was last Wednesday. While in town Mr. Wilson renewed his subscription to The Breckenridge News and subscribed for The Louisville Herald. It is a pleasure to have visitors who possess a general manner like Mr. Wilson's, and there is always a hearty welcome at the News office for out-of-town folks.

Myer and Mook Leaders as Salesmen

"Business" is a leading trade journal of Louisville, has in its January issue the following: Mr. Chas. Mook, of the Louisville Dry Goods Co., was one of the first of the army of Louisville representatives to get in the field for 1907 business. The order department feels sure he observed neither Christmas or New Year at home. If so, his Christmas stocking must have been filled with orders, as they have been coming in steadily the time of Mr. Isaac Myer, of Strong & Thallheimer, left in the early part of January in his fill-in trip. Mr. Myer covers Alabama for the firm and never fails to get his quota of shoe orders in this state.

Ladies Home Journal for February at the News office.

Misses Mamie Gardner, Virginia McCavock, Lily Harper, Martha Miller, Jeanette Burn, Marcia King, Pearl Agnew and Mildred Babbage, who are members of Mrs. F. M. Smith's Sunday school class were entertained Friday afternoon from half past three to five o'clock by Miss Louise Babbage.

## HAS MANIA FOR WIFE DESERTING.

Wife No. 2 Of Payton Eskridge

Has Same Experience As Wife No. 1.

Deserting a young wife to whom he had been married only a few months, taking with him all of their savings and disposing of the household furniture, are the charges registered against Payton Eskridge by the woman he deserted. Before his departure Eskridge told his relatives to inform her that he had left the State for parts unknown and would not return.

Taking him at his word Mrs. Eskridge came to town yesterday ostensibly for the purpose of instituting proceedings for divorce and alimony. She consulted attorney V. G. Babbage and an investigation revealed the fact that their bank savings had disappeared with her recent husband. The furniture he disposed of to his mother and brother, and the woman he deserted. Before his departure Eskridge told his relatives to inform her that he had left the State for parts unknown and would not return.

Mrs. Eskridge says she is at a loss to account for her husband's actions as their domestic relations were congenial. She is a daughter of Mr. Martin Lesley and a very prepossessing young woman.

This is Eskridge's second marriage, and likewise his second venture in the role of wife deserter. His first wife was a Miss Hawkins whom he abandoned shortly after their marriage.

Eskridge is the son of Mr. Alex Eskridge, a substantial farmer of this locality.

This is Worth Saving.

The following simple home-made mixture is said to relieve any form of Rheumatism or backache, also cleanse and strengthen the Kidneys and Bladder, overcoming all urinary disorders. If taken before the stage of Bright's disease: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sassafras, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after meals and at bedtime.

A well known authority states that these ingredients are mainly of vegetable extraction, and harmless to use, and can be obtained at small cost from any good prescription pharmacy. Those who think they have kidney trouble or suffer with lame back or weak bladder or Rheumatism, should give this prescription a trial, as no harm can possibly follow its use and it is said to do wonders for some people.

Cradle Roll Members.

There has been established in the Methodist Sunday school of this city a Cradle Roll on which the superintendent wishes to enroll the names of all the children in town who are too young to attend the regular services.

All parents are invited to enroll the names of their children who are not over three years of age. Following are the charter members: Carrie May Jackson, Mary Arantia Curtis, Sam Edward Conrad and Lathrop Tracy Reid, Jr.

Safe, Sure and Speedy.

No external remedy ever devised has so fully and unquestionably met these three prime conditions as successfully as Allcock's Pills. They are safe because they contain no deleterious drugs and are manufactured upon scientific principles of medicine. They are sure because nothing goes into them except ingredients which are exactly adapted to the purposes for which a plaster is required. They are speedy in their action because their medicinal qualities go right to their work of relieving pain and restoring the natural and healthy performance of the functions of muscles, nerves and skin.

Allcock's Pills are the original and genuine porous plasters and like most meritorious articles have been extensively imitated, therefore always make sure you get the genuine Allcock's.

Miss Lela Severs entertained the Girls' Thimble Club last Wednesday afternoon. Besides the members the following guests were present: Mrs. Roscoe Severs, Miss Margaret Baker, Mrs. James Younger and Miss Margaret Skillman.

Drop by drop the offensive discharge caused by Nasal Catarrh falls from the back of the nose into the throat, setting up an inflammation that is likely to mean Chronic Bronchitis. The certain, rational cure for Catarrh is Ely's Cream Balm, and the relief that follows even the first application cannot be told in words. Don't suffer a day longer from the discomfort of Nasal Catarrh. Cream Balm is sold by all druggists for 90 cents or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York.

## GREAT TROUBLE

Seventy seven And Don't Know What to do.

Friend John.—My troubles have been so great that I have not thought of anything in business. I lost my beloved wife on the 21st of Dec. 1906, by a fall from the carriage from attending the funeral of my son's wife by a drunken driver. I am left alone at my old age, seventy-seven years and don't know what to do. I don't know where I will be. I am only waiting for the last roll call when I will hear a voice say, come up higher into peace forever with my dear ones.

Friend John I will not renew my subscription until I get settled down. My heart is all torn to pieces. I hardly know what I am doing.

Hoping you will have a prosperous year for the News and a long and happy life.

Your Friend,  
A. Hambleton,  
Cannelton, Ind.

## Weak Lungs



## NEED VINOL

its cod liver oil elements heal and strengthen the lungs

Many people inherit weak lungs which are likely to be attacked by consumption. So also are lungs weakened by disease or by a stubborn hacking cough.

Vinol, which is a real cod liver preparation with all the useless oil eliminated and tonic iron added, strengthens weak lungs and gives one the power to throw off wasting disease.

We ask every person suffering from weak lungs, stubborn hacking cough, or any wasting disease to try Vinol on our guarantee.

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## Great Relief

During that trying period in which women so often suffer from nervousness, backache, sick headache, or other pains, there is nothing that can equal Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. They stop the pains, soothe the nerves, and give to

## Women

the relief so much desired. If taken on first indication of pain or misery, they will allay the irritable condition of the nerves, and save you further suffering. Those who use them at regular intervals have ceased to dread these periods. They contain no harmful drugs, and leave no effect upon the heart or stomach if taken as directed. They give prompt relief.

I have been so afflicted for 9 years. I have neuralgia, rheumatism and pains around the heart. By using Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills I am cured of the pain, and rest and sleep. I think I had known of the pills when I was first so sick, they would have cured me. I recommended them for periods. I feel better, and my nerves are all right. If it fails, he will return your money. 25 doses, 25 cents. Never sold in bulk. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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No. 146, Daily Fast Train leaves Cloverport at 8 a. m., stops at Hickory on flag only, arrives at Louisville 7:35 a. m.

No. 142, "Mail and Express, leaves Cloverport at 10 a. m., stops at all way stations, arrives Louisville 12:25 p. m.

Train No. 144, Daily, fast mail, leaves Cloverport at 10 p. m., stops at all way stations, east of Cloverport except Kyrie, arrives at Louisville 7:35 p. m.

Train No. 148, Daily, Cloverport accommodation, arrives Cloverport 8:30 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 147, Daily, Cloverport accommodation leaves Cloverport 10:30 a. m., arrives Evansville 9:00 a. m.

Train No. 141, Daily, fast mail and express leaves Cloverport 10:30 a. m., stops only at Louisville, Lexington, Maceo, Owensboro, Stanley, Henderson and Evansville, arrives St. Louis 11:30 a. m.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1907.

COL. LAFF GREEN.

The News is deeply grieved over the death of Col. Laff Green. For more than forty years this good man has been a kind and generous friend and patron. Always had a good word for us wherever we met him. When a boy selling papers on the street the Colonel never failed to buy a paper and did it in such a way that it was an inspiration. All the good deeds of this man will never be told, but they are known to thousands now living in whose memory Col. Green will always live.

No station on the Henderson Route has developed more business in proportion to its locality and population than the hustling little town of Ekron. Twelve years ago when Zack Cox took hold of that station the business amounted to less than \$2,500 a year. Under his management and untiring work and energy and fair treatment of the people the business has grown immensely. For the year of 1906 the business amounted to \$10,387.82. It certainly speaks well for Mr. Cox's ability as an agent and trade winner.

That is a very happy hit and a generous one, the giving away of an Elbert wagon by the enterprising firm of B. F. Beard & Co. The Elbert is one of the best made, finest finished wagons on the market. A real beauty in the wagon line. This offer ought to bring many dollars of good business to this firm.

The town of Custer, in this country, is to have a bank. It will open about the first of March or April. It is to be a branch of the First State Bank, at Irvington, and Mr. Suter, the present assistant cashier of that Bank, will be the cashier of the new institution. The First State Bank will increase its capital stock to \$20,000, all of which has already been taken by the business men and farmers at Custer. There will be no question about the success of this bank. Custer is one of the best and most prosperous communities in the county, a fine tobacco growing section and is made up of a lot of good farmers who know how to make money farming. We predict that the Branch will outdo its parent, in a little while.

As the high waters recede and the inundated lands are again coming to view farmers are beginning to realize the loss they have suffered from the overflow. Lands wasted, crops ruined, fencing destroyed, buildings damaged, and loss of stock are some of the disastrous results of the flood. Years of honest toil and money spent in improvements have been carried down stream with the current. The farmer in the lowland has truly suffered, but undaunted he will come again. It takes courage, patience and time, but the farmer is equal to the emergency.

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If your blood is impure, this disease, hot or full of humors, if you have blood poison, cancer, carbuncles, eating sores, scurfa, eczema, itching, rashes and bumps, scab, pimply skin, bone pains, catarrh, rheumatism, or any blood or skin disease, take Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.). Soon all sores heal, aches and pains stop and the blood is made pure and rich. Druggists or by express \$1 per large bottle, 3 bottles for \$2.50 or 6 bottles for \$5.00. Sample free by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. B. B. B. is especially advised for chronic, deep-seated cases, as it cures after all else fails.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Porter and son, of Owensboro, have returned home after a visit to their father, Mr. Joe Porter, who is still ill at his home in the West End.

## STEPHENSPOET.

The flood did a great deal of damage here. Mrs. Mary Payne suffered the greatest loss of anyone in our town. Her residence is badly wrecked.

Mr. F. R. Roberts has been on the sick list.

Mrs. E. H. Miller, who has been very ill, is much improved.

There were eighteen families of our town had to move out of the flooded districts.

The lively stable is somewhat torn up by the high water but will soon be repaired and ready for business.

W. J. Schop moved his goods up to the tobacco factory out of the way of the water but it did not stop his business. He has had a good trade and will soon be back in his old stand.

W. Gardner and son, of Irvington, came down Sunday to see the big river.

Godfrey Haswell and family have returned to their home in Hardinsburg after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McCubbin.

Mrs. Sallie Bennett is visiting in Cloverport.

Our bridge is almost a total wreck. The side walks are gone and the floor is torn up in five sections, but we hope to have it repaired in a short time.

We had a train through from Louisville Sunday, the first for over a week on account of the water.

Mrs. Dr. Nevitt has returned from Brandenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Driskell, of Hardinsburg, are visiting their son, George and family, of this place.

Forrest Blaine is visiting his brother, Frank Blaine.

Mrs. Ed. Atkinson has returned home from Seebie accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Wright.

To stop a Cold with "Preventions" is safer than to let it run and cure it afterwards. Taken at the "sneeze stage" "Preventions" will head off all colds and Grippe, and perhaps save you from Pneumonia or Bronchitis. "Preventions" are little toothsome candy cold cure tablets selling in 5 cent and 25 cent boxes. If you are chilly, if you begin to sneeze, try "Preventions." They will surely check the cold, and please you. Sold by Severs Drug Company.

### Prohibition in Texas

There are now 101 counties wholly under the local option law in Texas and forty-nine others are partially so, making a total of 152 out of 250. These counties contain about one-third of the population of the State and about one-half of the domestic supply of them are settled communities of west and of east Texas, but there are also a number of the thickly settled north Texas counties included. There are comparatively few of the south and southwest Texas counties in either list, there being a large proportion of Germans and Bohemians in those sections, and these have been consistently anti-prohibition—Houston Correspondence St. Louis Globe Democrat.

Mothers who give their children Kennedy's Cough Syrup (containing) Honey and Tar inevitably induce it. Children like it because the taste is so pleasant. It is the Original Laxative Cough Syrup is unrivaled for the relief of croup, croup, whooping cough, and drives the cold out through the bowels. Conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by all druggists.

### Died Monday.

Mrs. Doll Roberts died at the home of her husband, three miles from town, Monday, after a short illness. She leaves a husband and three small children.

### THE TEXAS WONDER

Cures all Kidney, Bladder and Rheumatic troubles; sold by all druggists, or two months treatment by mail for \$1. Dr. E. W. Fall, 1116 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for Kentucky testimonials.

### Returns From Texas.

After a delightful visit to relatives and friends in Texas, Mr. Abe Ditto returned to his home at West Point this week. Mr. Ditto spent most of his time with his son, David Ditto, at Dallas.

Little touches of back-ache should not be allowed to go untended. Rheumatism and many other things follow. A box of DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills will bring relief quickly. They drive the poison from the body. Act on the liver as well as the kidneys. A 25 cent box holds a week's treatment. Sold by all druggists.

The fifth chapter of "Partners of the Tide" commences this week, and gives an account of another change in Bradley Nickerson's life which will be most interesting to the readers.

### Half The World Wonders

how the other half lives. Those who use Bucklen's Arnica Salve never wonder if it will cure Cuts, Wounds, Burns, Sores, and All Skin eruptions; they know it will. Mrs. Grant Shy, 1139 E. Reynolds St., Springfield, Ill., says: "I regard one of the absolute necessities of housekeeping." Guaranteed by Severs Drug Company. 25c.

## BEWLEYVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Turpin, of Jefferson County are the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Blisset.

T. J. Triplett, was in Louisville several days last week at the bedside of his brother, Shelby, who died there Saturday.

Miss Lillie McCoy is able to be out again after a severe attack of mumps.

Julius Foote and wife are spending several days with their parents, near Guston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Triplett, of Louisville, are visitors at T. J. Triplett for several days.

G. E. Drury went to Custer Friday and will remain several days to assist in the invoicing of A. Taylor's stock of goods.

H. C. Barnes was at Custer Saturday night and took the Third degree in the Masonic 1 dge.

E. L. Smith came over Friday and assisted in moving Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Paul to Guston. They will spend the remainder of the winter with their daughter, Maggie Belle, Mr. and Mrs. Paul have many friends here, by whom they will be greatly missed.

On account of the inclement weather the Woman's Foreign Mission Society failed to hold its regular meeting last Friday.

D. C. Heron left Sunday to continue his work after spending several days at home.

Rev. Wilson filled his regular appointment here Sunday and delivered and excellent sermon to a small but appreciative audience.

David Penick, Custer, spent Sunday night at M. P. Payne's the guest of H. C. Barnes.

### May Live 100 Years.

The chances for living a full century are excellent in the case of Mrs. Jennie Duncan, of Haynesville, Mo., now 70 years old. She writes: "Electric Bitters cured me of Chronic Dyspepsia of 20 years standing, and made me feel as well and strong as a young girl." "Electric Bitters cured my Catarrh and Liver diseases, Blood disorders, General Debility and bodily weakness. Sold on a guarantee by Severs Drug Company. Price 50c per bottle."

## RAYMOND.

Wedding bells.

Mr. Robert Ralston still remains very poorly at this writing.

Mr. C. H. Bassett went to Stephensport last week on business.

Mrs. W. B. Arnsbriht, of Lodiburg, spent last Thursday evening with Mrs. Martin Claycomb.

Mr. Taylor Compton was in Hardinsburg last week on business.

The stork visited the home of Allen Claycomb the 23rd and left a fine boy also June Hall is all smiles over the arrival of a new girl at his house the 23th.

Mrs. Taylor Compton and daughter, Miss Bessie, visited Mrs. B. J. Coomes one day last week.

Mr. Archibald Morris, who has been living in the Webster neighborhood for sometime moved back to his farm near here last week.

Mrs. Richard Avitt, Lodiburg, visited relatives here several days last week.

Mrs. C. L. Avitt visited Mrs. G. W. Cashman one day last week.

"I had tried everything for my baby until Dr. Lytle recommended Castoria. I can truthfully say it is the best medicine I ever used for babies. My little baby was a mere skeleton from stomach trouble—so bad that she did not notice anything, but is now entirely well, and we can almost see her grow."—Nannie L. Taylor, Bedford, Va. "Castoria" is sold by all druggists.

### RESOLUTION OF RESPECT.

Whereas, In His wisdom and will our Master has seen fit to take from the Ekron Sunday school one of our beloved members, sister Nellie Stith Hardinand, Whereas, we lament our loss in the death of one of such beautiful Christian character and usefulness in work; and, Whereas, We recognize God's supreme goodness even in this hour, and realize how infinite is Nellie's gain. Therefore be it

Resolved, First, That we express to the family of our beloved member our tenderest sympathy in this dark hour of trial.

Second, That we deplore the loss from our school of this young Christian life.

Third, Yet we bow in humble submission to His infinite wisdom and love.

Fourth, That a copy of these be sent to the family, also sent to the Western Recorder and to the county paper.

Mrs. Z. T. Cox,

Mrs. Fannie Frymire,

James Shacklett,

Committee.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Dr. J. C. Hart*

## HARDINSBURG.

Mrs. Mary C. Ford has sold to Mrs. Hannah A. Morelock the Commercial hotel. It will be conducted by Mr. and Mrs. George Evans. The consideration was \$3000 cash. Four years ago Mrs. Ford purchased the property for \$1300 and its great advance in price is only another indication of the growth of Hardinsburg. Mrs. Ford has conducted a hotel here for seven years and during all that time she has pleased the traveling public and established a fine reputation for the town for good hotel facilities. She will probably purchase property in town and reside here.

Dr. Harold J. Beard formerly of this place has been elected Master of the Masonic Lodge at Livermore. At a banquet given by the lodge recently Dr. Beard was toastmaster and made an admirable one for the occasion.

Dr. John E. Kincheol, at the last meeting of the Louisville Society of Physicians and Surgeons was elected president of the society. A high honor for a young doctor and one that is well deserved.

The County Board of Supervisors adjourned last Tuesday after having raised nearly 700 tax papers. They will convene Feb. 4th to hear complaints.

Judge Moorman is having the jury box in the circuit court room re-arranged.

Mrs. Mary C. Heston has returned home from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Thomas, at Leitchfield.

Mrs. F. P. Stenn, of Murray is visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret May.

B. R. Patterson, of Somers, has accepted a position with B. F. Beard & Co., as traveling salesman for machinery and farming implements of all kinds. Mr. Patterson is an experienced salesman and B. F. Beard & Co., expect to increase their large and growing business by this method.

Piles get quick relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Remember it's made alone for Piles—and it works with certainty and satisfaction. Itching, painful, protruding, or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Try it and see! Sold by Severs Drug Company.

## HONEY LOCUS

Little Jessie and Lettie Tuttle are on the sick list this week.

Several from Honey Locus attended the Literary at Dukes Thursday night.

Mr. Walter Shores went to Patesville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pumprey spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Simmons Thursday.

Ed. Groatley, of Pisgah, attended the Literary at Dukes Thursday night.

Mr. John Pate, of Pisgah, was the guest of Miss Edna Simmons Sunday.

Mr. Emmett Friel, of Victoria, was the guest of his little pupil, Little Miss Lettie Tuttle Thursday.

Miss Lettie Baker has closed her six months term of school at Pisgah and returned to her home near Hardinsburg.

Mrs. Adaline Simmons, who has been visiting her son, C. H. Simmons and family has returned to her home at VanZant, Ky.

### A Modern Miracle

"Truly miraculous seemed the recovery of Mrs. Jollie Holt of this place," writes J. O. R. Hooper, Woodford, Tenn., "she was so wasted by coughing up phlegm from her lungs. Doctors declared her end, so near that her family had watched her bed-side forty-eight hours when at my urgent request Dr. King's New Discovery was given her, with the astonishing result that improvement began, and continued until she finally completely recovered, and is a healthy woman to-day." Guaranteed cure for coughs and colds. 25c and \$1.00 by Severs Drug Company. Trial bottle free.

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That's the thing you were unable to get so quick before.

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A public speaker cannot afford to have catarrh. Even a slight catarrhal looseness of the throat becomes intolerable. This is especially true of the minister who is called upon to preside at religious functions of all sorts.

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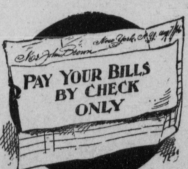
## Read This Ad.

You will need the Stock we are advertising soon. A late Spring means more teams. Get it now, it is cheaper, and you have more to pick from.

Three Horses, will sell, worth the money, or trade for cattle.  
One Bay Mare, a good one, (in foal).  
One Bay Mare, blind in one eye, will sell or trade for Cattle.  
One Pair coming two-year-old Mules, (good ones).  
One Pair coming three-year-old Mules, (horses).  
One Pair four-year-old Mules (horses) extra good.  
One Pair four-year-old Mules (horses) and Harness, for sale cheap.  
We still have the Jack and Stallions advertised. If you wish either write at once.

## Beard Bros.

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Here's good service for the business man who appreciates the many advantages of a BANK ACCOUNT. By paying bills by check his money is in perfect safety, his drafts quickly honored, gaining him prestige in the financial world. Don't delay in making connections with the soundest of banks, doing business under the shadow of splendid name. The Bank of Cloverport offers its manifold advantages every business man worth the name.

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 In malarial districts their virtues are widely recognized, as they possess peculiar properties in treating the system from that poison. Elegantly sugar coated.

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Vivian Pierce is in Havesville.  
 Call for the Lewisport flour on sale at O'Connell's.  
 February magazines for sale at the News office.  
 Preston sells Lewisport flour, the best in the market.

Wm. N. Johnson was in town Monday on business.  
 Miss Elizabeth Babbage, of Louisville, has returned home.  
 Mrs. John Morton is visiting her mother, at Garfield.

Born, to the wife of Willie Allen, a fine boy, Thursday, January 24th.  
 Chas. Winn, of Irvington, has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. B. W. Winn.  
 Claude Baldwin, of Owensboro, has a position with the Breckenridge News.

Miss Reba Lewis will be hostess to the Twenty-Three Club Friday evening.  
 Miss Margaret Baker, of Hardsburg, has been the guest of Mrs. Frank Payne.  
 Mr. Thos. W. Lewis, the wharfman, is seriously ill at his home in this city.

If there is anything you want in Hardsburg call at Babbage's in Oelke's big store.  
 Mrs. W. L. Noel, who lives in the East End, has in her yard a Japonica in bloom.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reeves, of Hardsburg, were the guests of relatives here last week.  
 The Girls' Thimble Club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Miss Margaret Burn.

Miss Addie G. Ditto, of Louisville, is expected next week to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Babbage.  
 Morrison & Calhoun, dentists, office downstairs, 205 Fourth street, both phones, Owensboro, Ky.

Misses Jane Smith, Grace, Eva and Edith Plank will leave tomorrow for Versailles to attend school at Margaret Hall.  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Basham, of Bevelyville, went to Bowling Green Monday to enter the Kentucky Normal school.

M. E. Gilbert has located in Paducah and is conducting a general law business under the firm name of Lucas & Gilbert.  
 Mrs. L. B. McCubbin and little daughter were here from Tell City last week en route to Hardsburg to visit relatives.

Mrs. P. J. Herman and daughter, Ruth, and Mrs. Reddinger and son, of Tell City, Ind., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hook Sunday.

## TARFORK.

Elijah Gaud, of Green River, is here visiting relatives.  
 S. E. Keenan, of Illinois, was in this vicinity visiting relatives and circulating with his friends here at his old home, recently.

L. C. Keenan moved to the Jas. Keenan, Sr., farm.  
 Sam Rice, of Fordville, came up Sunday to be with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Rice and returned home Wednesday.

Miss Beulah Rice will enter school at Hardsburg Feb. 4th.  
 Lawrence Keenan killed a copperhead snake on his farm the 21st., attributable to the freak of weather.

# For Lung Troubles

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral certainly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption, and it certainly strengthens weak throats and weak lungs. There can be no mistake about this. You know it is true. And your own doctor will say so.

The best kind of a testimonial—  
 "Held for over sixty years."  
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 SARGENT & WELCH, NEW YORK, N.Y.

"We have no secret! We publish the formula of all our medicines."  
 Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills and thus hasten recovery.

Ivan Robbins and Ernest Rice were in Cloverport Wednesday.

Misses Nell Sherron, Josie Ryan and Gene Newton attended the examination at Balltown Friday.

Dr. I. A. Sandbach, of McQuady, was called to see Mrs. Hubbard who has been quite ill in improving slowly.

On Wednesday 16th, Miss Mary Tabelling and Len Weatherholt were married at Hardsburg, Ky. Clime performed the duties in the parlor of Judge Ahl's hotel. Eli Taul accompanied them.

Miss Maud Ryan's school at Morton's school house closed the 18th.

## Beats The Cuckoo.

"To keep the body in tune," writes Mrs. Mary Brown, 30 Lafayette Place, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., "I take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are the most reliable and pleasant laxative I have found." Best for the Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Guaranteed by Severs Drug Company, 25c.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Amelia Scales, Jan. 27, a fine pound boy.

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*Dr. H. H. H. H.*

## Jewish Thrift.

The Allgemeine Rundschau, Vienna, in an article on the Jewish question and anti-Semitism, has this to say as to Jewish thrift: "If we could only induce our own lower class to acquire the Jew's thrift, his industry, his sense of order, his scrupulous exactitude, his religious loyalty and love for his family the Jew on his darker side would appear far less dangerous to them than he at present is. If only our lower class by way of interesting experiment, one would to conduct an inquiry into the station, wealth and religion of visitors to the various public houses, the following result would transpire: A large number of the guests would be Christians who would do far better to save than spend their money in alcoholic refreshments, gaming and tobacco. There might be a few Jews, but at the most they would content themselves with a cup of coffee."

## An Ancient Hebrew Bible.

The highest amount ever offered for a single volume of Holy Writ has been made for a copy of the Septuagint version made from the Hebrew into Greek in 27 B. C., carefully copied of the Hebrew text having been prepared at that date for the use of the seventy translators. The offer to Julius was £20,000, which, considering the difference between the value of money then and now, would in our day represent the princely sum of \$300,000. Julius was at that time greatly pressed for money to maintain his high league which the pope organized against France, but in spite of his lack of funds he declined the offer.

## Weight of a Lion.

"What does a lion weigh?" Ask that question of any acquaintance and see what he will say. Those who boast about the bulk of the king of beasts and how small his little body really is will probably come furthest from the truth. About 300 to 350 pounds is the weight of an African lion. His bone is solid and heavy as ivory. The tiger runs the lion very close. A Bengal tiger killed by an English officer scaled 500 pounds. A tiger of this size has, however, considerably greater muscular strength than the biggest lion.

## Millers' Best Customers.

The forty odd million sacks of flour consumed yearly in the United Kingdom are mainly eaten in the form of loaves. In the houses of the aristocracy, in the best hotels bread is sparingly eaten, but among the middle classes and in workmen's homes it forms a considerable portion of the diet. As the latter class predominate and as their families are the most numerous, it is not improbable that the children under sixteen consume about five fifths of the total flour sold in the United Kingdom. In a commercial sense, therefore, the children are the millers' best friends.—London Milling.

## Rule the "Roast" or "Roast"

Steven Gardner, an under cook in the Cardinal Wolfe Hotel, says he has afterwards allowed of kye's Henry the egg to be a master cook, and his principal cook for a long time. He was the cook in the kye's house as boldly and as saucily as his master did before him, as ye blow upon his cheek that my Lorde of Warwick gave him, my bare wyes.—Spiritual Physic, 1555.

## Big Differences.

"What!" said the Judge. "You expect me to send your husband to prison when you acknowledge that you threw five fatrons at him and he only threw one at you?"  
 "Yes, that's all right, judge," said the irate woman, "but, then, the one he threw hit me."

## Conterfetes.

"They bill and do a good deal of that," "That's all a bluff."  
 "Then you say they are only mock turtles?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Tonics.

Willie—Pa, what's a tonic? Pa—It's something you take to brace you up. Willie—Well, what's a tonic—something to brace you too much?

## Nasal CATARRH

In all its stages  
 Ely's Cream Balm  
 cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.  
 Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Drug-gists or by mail. Trial Size, 10 cents.  
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 Conrad, Payne & Co., Cloverport.

## Take County Examination.

Edwin Wroe, first assistant of the Cloverport High school spent Friday and Saturday at Balltown giving the county examinations. The following were examined: Nellie Sherron and Eugene Newton, of Tar Fork; Bertie Walker and Lena Hendrick, of Tauls; Sam Leslie, Maria Davis, Alyce Tate and Melissa Mattingly, of Mattingly.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO.,

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by his firm.  
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 Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Popular Couple Married.

The marriage of Newsum Gardner and Miss Ola Smith, of Irvington on Jan. — at Miss Smith's home in Medford, I. T., was quite a surprise to their many friends at home.  
 The bride is the daughter of Mr. James Smith, who removed from Irvington to Medford last fall. She is one of the most popular young ladies in Irvington, gentle in manner, a sweet, loving disposition, she has all the qualities that go to make up a charming wife. Newsum Gardner is a home boy, born and reared in this county, self made, a hard worker and one of the best Dry Goods clerks in the county. He has been with the old firm of Gardner, Jolly & Co., where he has up a fine trade and made many friends. He is now with his brother, W. H. Gardner. We bespeak for this young couple a bright, happy and successful life.

## GRUB STREET IN NEW YORK.

A Gastronomic Assignment and a Fate of an Epic.

A story is told of a poet who came to the metropolis with a completed epic. This found no acceptance, so after cursing the stupidity of the public and the publishers he took to writing "Sunday stuff." Soon the matter of fact attitude of the workers around him, with the practical view of the market he acquired, led him to doubt the literary value of the work he had done in the sentimental atmosphere of his native place.  
 Frequently a commission to write a column of humor a week came to him, and he cut his epic into short lengths, tacked a squib on each fragment and eventually succeeded in printing it all as humor at a price many times larger than the historic one brought by "Paradise Lost."  
 Another newcomer brought unsalable plays and high notions of the austerity of the artistic vocation. Three months after his arrival he was delighted to get a commission to write the handbook a universal publisher proposed to sell to visitors seeing the metropolis. This commission brought not only a fair payment for the manuscript on delivery, but involved a visit to the literary "Where to Eat in New York," and its preparation made it necessary for the author to dine each evening for a month in a different cafe at the proprietor's expense.—James H. Collins in Atlantic.

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## RUNCHED PARAGRAPHS

VERBIAGE CAREFULLY AVOIDED IN THESE ITEMS.

Important Events, Occurring Both at Home and Abroad, Will Be Found Briefly Chronicled and Duly Arranged in This Column.

Academy of Music, Washington, was destroyed by fire. Loss \$10,000. Because he preferred death to work, Benjamin R. Beasley shot himself through the head while standing at a hotel bar at Savannah, Ga.

At Fresno, Cal., John J. Jackson, in a fit of jealousy, shot and instantly killed Susie Pearson. Jackson then shot himself through the head, killing himself instantly.

William Whitley, founder of the first department store in London, Eng., was shot and killed by a young man who gave the name of Cecil Whitley. Motive unknown. Claimed to be son.

In a single-handed combat at a railway camp eight miles from Montezuma, Sonora, Mexico, Bert Seely, an Arizona cowboy, shot and killed six Mexicans. He killed three each in two separate fights and escaped.

H. E. Agar was drowned in the Wash river near Princeton, Ind., by falling from a steamboat. He was known as the corn king. Parisians now enjoying the unusual sport of skating in the open, the Seine and park ponds being frozen.

General assembly of North Carolina in joint session re-elected F. M. Sherman (Dem.) to the United States senate.

J. P. C. Talbot of Lutherville, Md., was appointed a member of the Democratic national committee from Maryland.

Cleveland chamber of commerce adopted resolutions protesting against adopted resolutions protesting against waters of the Great Lakes into the Ontario river.

Car barns of the Camden Interstate Street railway, Huntington, W. Va., were totally destroyed by fire and 20 cars in the building were burned. The loss is estimated at \$150,000.

Census report shows that 12,167,873 bales of cotton, counting round bales as half bales, have been ginned from the growth of 1906 to Jan. 16, 1907. The number of active ginneries this year is 28,825.

A negro riot at Lawton, Okla., resulted in the death of Nat Marshall, colored, the wounding of others and the arrest of 50 negroes.

Government printing office at Washington will conduct a night school of instruction on printing machines. Free, but no pay for work.

Senators elected: Alabama John T. Morgan and E. W. Pettus; Minnesota, F. N. Nelson; Kansas, Charles Curtis; Illinois, Shelby M. Cullom.

Heavy wind and snow storms throughout Italy caused serious damage. A number of fish nets were wrecked off the coasts.

Arthur F. Statter, until recently secretary to Secretary Shaw, took the oath of office as assistant secretary of the treasury, succeeding Mr. Kepp, resigned.

William A. Brewer, Jr., president of the Washington Life Insurance company, New York, must stand trial on indictments returned against him charging perjury and forgery.

A terrific hurricane laid the greater part of Cockburn, Australia, in ruins. There were no fatalities.

One hundred cases of scarlet fever and 45 cases of diphtheria reported in Chicago for period of 24 hours.

A Lake Shore passenger train collided with a loaded freight car at Riga, Mich. Charles Driggs was instantly killed.

Merchants and Farmers' bank of Fairmont, Minn., suspended paying deposits. Liabilities are \$77,974, assets \$87,206.

Amor Smith, Jr., surveyor of customs and former mayor of Cincinnati, was appointed a trustee of the Cincinnati Southern railroad.

A telegraph pole hurled across the Nickel Plate tracks by a heavy gauge wrecked a westbound passenger train on the Nickel Plate railroad at Fairview, Pa. Three persons residing at Conestoga, O., were among the injured.

At Norfolk, Va., eight prominent women who attended a dance were poisoned by drinking fruit punch. All will recover.

Commissioners of Holmes county, Ohio, decided not to accept \$15,000 from Andrew Carnegie for county library building.

International Brotherhood of Bookbinders are taking a referendum vote on what date a strike for an eight-hour day shall go into effect.

At Teheran, Mohammed Ali Mirza was crowned shah of Persia in the palace. The ministers, diplomats, princes and nobles attended in full uniform.

In collision between freight trains on the Indiana Harbor railroad at Hammond, Ind., two trainmen, J. W. Stevens of Indiana Harbor and W. S. Davison of Rochester, Ind., were fatally hurt.

Freight locomotive exploded on a bridge near De Soto, Kan., cars going into river. F. W. Bartell, engineer; W. W. Dorch, fireman; and H. E. Shaw, brakeman of Argentine, Kan., were killed.

At Frankfort, Ind., Rev. William Russell, 59, pastor of Disciple church, died suddenly while at his typewriter writing a letter.

Steam schooner Squaw, owned by Charles Nelson Lumber company of San Francisco, is on the rocks near Humboldt Bay, Cal., a total wreck.

## SIXTEEN KILLED.

In Collision Between Big Four Passenger Train and Freight.

Powder, Ind., Jan. 21.—At least 16 persons were crushed or injured to death in the collision on the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railroad, between the Queen City special and a freight train. Ten persons were seriously injured and several more slightly hurt. The passenger train was running at a speed of 50 miles an hour, and consisted of a combination coach, three Pullman sleepers and a private car. With the exception of the private coach the entire train was demolished. Eleven of the victims were burned to death in the combination coach and but two of these have been identified, as the bodies were almost entirely consumed by the flames. The dead included the train crew. Henry Alcott, Cincinnati, fireman, was instantly killed. The collision occurred 500 feet from a switch near this place. The passenger train in the heavy fog ran by a telegraphic block signal to stop. The red light was not seen. The engine and tender telescoped the combination coach, causing a mass of wreckage, under which the passengers in the car were wedged.

Political Purify Bill Passed.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The house pronounced unanimously in favor of enlarging and making more efficient the field and coast artillery. An interesting political discussion grew out of the passage of the so-called "political purity" bill, prohibiting corporations from making money contributions in connection with political action. A bill was passed authorizing the secretary of commerce and labor to investigate and report upon the "industrial, social, moral, educational and physical condition of women and children workers in the United States." The measure has already passed the senate.

Negro Lynched For Assault.

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 24.—Information was received here that Harry Bell, a negro, was lynched at Greenwood, the home of Governor Vardaman, by unknown parties. The negro assaulted Mrs. Graves of that place some months ago and had been in the Greenville jail for safe keeping. He arrived at Greenwood in charge of a deputy sheriff, and while that official was taking him from the train to the jail he was surrounded by a mob which took him away and hanged him to a railroad bridge. The coroner returned a verdict that the negro came to his death at the hands of unknown parties.

Fought Off Bandits.

Tulsa, I. T., Jan. 25.—Word has reached here of a desperate fight between practically the entire male population of Tulsa, a small town near here, and a band of five men who attempted to rob the bank of Tulsa. The gunmen were discovered before they could enter the bank. A crowd of men and boys armed with miscellaneous weapons quickly gathered and opened fire. The desperadoes repelled the crowd and fled. They were forced to the railroad track, where they made secreted a handcar, and on which they made their escape.

Whitley Steps Out.

Springfield, Jan. 25.—Disension among the stockholders of the Farmers' Cooperative Harvesting Machine company of North America culminated in the directors electing to the position of William N. Whitley, former reaper king, as head of the company, and the placing in his stead of Dr. C. P. Stuckey, of Louisville, Mo. An accounting was demanded at this meeting and the shops will remain closed until this can be accomplished.

Another Victim.

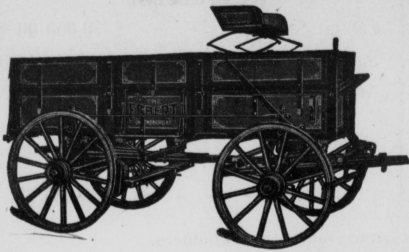
Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 25.—Dr. H. W. Haeberle of Grandview, Ill., was the injured from the Sandford (Ind.) explosion, died at Grandview. The body will be sent to Unionview, Ill.

THE MARKETS.

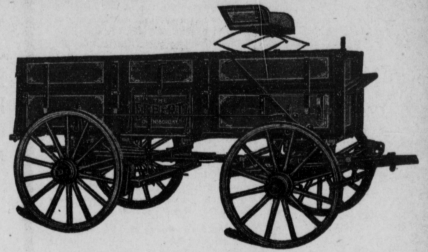
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# THE EBBERT!



KING  
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Road Farm Wagon!



## Given Away Absolutely Free!

**This is not a misleading statement,  
but an absolute fact!**

An excellent, first-class farm wagon, complete, including running gear, bed and spring seat, high class, three inch skein--a wagon that we do not sell for less than \$67.50.

We are morally sure that we have the best "General Farm Wagon" on the market, and to convince our patrons of this fact, and to thoroughly advertise our unexcelled wagon, we are going to "do as we say," Give this Wagon Away.

For excellence in construction, neatness in appearance, general strength and durability, it is unsurpassed.

All heretofore weak points in other Wagons have been studied carefully for years, and strengthened in the "EBBERT." Iron and steel without a weld, being used whenever and wherever necessary.

It is fully and absolutely guaranteed against inferior workmanship or material, in any way whatsoever.

### "Seeing is believing"

An often quoted, but true statement. We propose to have this wagon on exhibition here in our store after the first of February, 1907, where you may examine it to your own satisfaction.

**It is put up of the best hickory, oak  
and poplar throughout.**

Poplar being used in the construction of the bed only, and the running-gear being constructed wholly of oak and hickory.

The "EBBERT" skein is guaranteed against breakage in use from any cause, and any skeins of this wagon, broken in use are brought back, and new ones furnished free of charge.

We do not hesitate to make this offer, because we know they can not be broken in any reasonable use to which a Farm Wagon may be subjected.

### Painting.

The painting of the wagon is superb, and of the highest order. It is at once a thorough protection to the wagon, and particularly pleasing to the eye.

### Strength and durability

Are insured in the "EBBERT" over any other Wagon, because of the lack of bolt holes through the parts most constantly in use. Clips being used where bolts are ordinarily used, thus giving strength, while it detracts nothing.

## Conditions Upon which this Wagon will be Given Away!

Beginning with the first day of February, 1907 and ending with the last day of April, 1907, we will give to each and every cash purchaser a rebate ticket showing amount of purchase, printed on pink paper. At the expiration of this period these tickets are to be presented, and will be counted by disinterested parties. To the person presenting tickets amounting to the greatest sum, purchased of us during the above named period, we will award the above described

## "Ebbert" Wagon Absolutely Free!

Remember, our 5 per cent. rebate, redeemable in merchandise, is open just the same to each and all of our customers, and those who enter the race to compete for the wagon, who fail in securing it, may apply their cash tickets in the usual way, in any line of merchandise we carry. Every one will have this liberty save the successful competitor who will receive the wagon in place of the rebate.

**REMEMBER** This opportunity begins with the FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1907, and ends with the LAST DAY OF APRIL, 1907.

Hoping to have each and all to compete for this greatest offer of the season, which we will verify to the letter, We are,

Yours very truly,

**B. F. BEARD & CO.,**  
HARDINSBURG, KY.